

CHATS WITH YOUR GAS MAN

Sometimes you buy more meat than you need and some of it is wasted, but you do not get angry with your butcher for selling it. Or, you purchase

But sometimes when people carelessly waste gas, they blame the gas company Neither merchants nor a gas company can control the use you make of a commodity.

Your gas company, however, while urging you to use gas, begs you not to waste it.

Part of its service is to give you full value, and to see that you pay only for what you use and to use all that you pay for.

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DR. O. H. CRESSLER GRADUATE DENTIST

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Clinton's for Spectacles. Mrs. Daisy McCraig of Paxton shopped in the city last week. The store of a thousand suggestions. Dixon, the Jeweler. Mrs. Fay Parrent has resigned her position at the O'Connor store. H. J. Mighell of Paxton visited with friends in the city last week. Take that next can of cream to Harding Cream Station. Mrs. P. C. Stickler of Paxton visited with friends in the city last week. Tom Gilmore of Paxton was a business visitor in the city last week. Piano tuning, Holley Music House. Mildred Stickler of Paxton visited with friends in the city last week. Miss Arta Koken left Saturday for Omaha to visit relatives for a few days. Mrs. W. J. Wilson and son of Paxton visited with relatives in the city last week. A nice new line of hobbled hair-combs and barrettes at C. S. Clinton & Son. Miss Effie Christ left Saturday for Lexington to visit with relatives for a few days. Mrs. Tilner of Lewellen spent last week in the city visiting her daughter Mrs. Chas. Haner. J. J. WILSON-DENTIST OPPOSITE McCABE HOTEL, OVER STAMPS BAKERY. PHONE 71. Mrs. M. Shеды returned from Pine Bluffs where she visited friends for several days. Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Case left Saturday for Woodlake park where they will spend two weeks. Come in and see our new line of fancy hair pins and barrettes. C. S. Clinton & Son. Miss Leona Mutchie left Saturday for Lexington to visit for a few days at the C. H. Bangs home. Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Bogue left yesterday by auto for Denver where they will visit for several days. E. A. Boyd and daughter Neva left Saturday for Grand Island to visit relatives for several days.

BIGNELL NEWS

The men of the Community Club are busy these days hauling material for the new school house. Miss Florence Atwood, University Extension specialist, gave a very instructive lecture accompanied by pictures on nutrition work with children. She is doing some advance work for Dr. Caroline Hodger who comes to Lincoln County in October. Miss Florence Leavitt opened the meeting with several short readings. Mrs. L. P. Gilfillan of Omaha and Mrs. Florence Leavitt of West Salem, Wis. are visiting at the home of their son and brother, A. R. Leavitt. Miss Leavitt, who attended Madam Curry's School of Expression last summer in Boston, is employed as teacher of expression in the High School at Winona, Minn. The Poultry Club, accompanied by their leader Mrs. Abercrombie and Mrs. James Rose drove up to the State Farm Thursday morning where the demonstration team for the State Fair was chosen. Violet Fletcher, age 17 and Bernard Leavitt, age 11 tied for first place with a score of 99%. The demonstration teams of the various clubs are working very hard these days, preparing for their work at the State Fair. The canning club team meets every day. Mrs. George H. Kellogg and children accompanied Miss Atwood and Mr. Kellogg to Bignell Tuesday evening. The Bignell Community Club have been invited to prepare a fried chicken supper for the Shrine Club and Rotary Club to be held in some of the canyons near. It was voted to do this, presume many a young chicken will lose its head. E. Combs, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Sarah Combs have returned from Stevens Point, Wis. where they have been enjoying a cool summer and visiting relatives. Rain is needed badly for the corn and hay. The last few hot days have made a great change in them. The stream of auto loads of cherry pickers have almost ceased going through the canyons as they have about cleaned them all up—trees and all. In many cases they bring their axes along, chop down the trees and carry them home. Another year and they will find it difficult to even get the fruit for the farmers to pay taxes on this land and do not propose to be trampled on in this way. Gates are left open and the stock in the pasture walk out. Then the farmers have to spend some time in getting them back again and in this busy season time is worth something. There is plenty of fruit and people are welcome to it. But the farmers would like to have picnic parties and berry pickers apply the golden rule. Eyes examined, Glasses fitted. Satisfaction, sure. Clinton & Son. Fred Waltemath left Saturday for Chicago where he will transact business for several days. C. F. Whelan who has a road grading contract in Boone county spent Sunday with his family. Highest cash prices paid for poultry and fresh eggs at Harding Cream Station. Mrs. Anas Cass of Sutherland was brought to the city last week to receive medical treatment. Mr. and Mrs. David Garrison and daughter Elaine of Oskosh visited friends in the city last week. Miss Adelaide Shilling is enjoying a two weeks vacation from the county superintendent's office. Miss Dorothea Hoga has resumed her duties at the county agent's office after a two weeks vacation. Howard Brown of Sterling, Colo. spent the week end in the city visiting his mother Mrs. Cora Brown. Mrs. Helen Tighe has resumed her duties at Dr. Fetters office after a two weeks vacation in O'Neil, Nebraska. Mrs. J. J. Horrigan and children of Grand Island have been guests of relatives and friends in town for several days. STUDENTS ATTENTION! We have an auto-point pencil with black silk cord. Just what you need for school at a special price of 85c. C. S. Clinton & Son.

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LOOK WHAT'S COMING

THURSDAY will be the regular meeting of Signet Chapter O. E. S. ROYAL NEIGHBORS will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the K. P. Hall. ILLINOIS SOCIETY will hold its annual picnic Thursday, August 31. All members of the Illinois society are invited to attend. LUTHERAN Woman's Missionary Society will meet Friday at 3 p. m. with Mrs. H. L. Johnson, 1201 West 4th. Annual election of officers will be held at this meeting. BAPTIST W. W. G. Girls will entertain the pastor and his wife, the auxiliary group leaders and mothers in the basement of the Baptist church Friday evening at 8 o'clock. CHRISTIAN The ladies aid will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 in the basement of the church. All ladies are urged to come early as there is lots of work to be done. METHODIST The aid society of the Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon in the church parlors at 3 o'clock. Every lady is urged to be present. There will be the election of officers for the coming year. Those entertaining are Mesdames Bickensderfer, Plummer, Austin, J. Edwards and Crane. LUTHERAN Aid Society will meet at the Roy Spurrier farm Thursday afternoon. Those on the entertaining committee are Mrs. Roy Spurrier, Mrs. Geo. Scharmann, Mrs. Harry Scharmann, Mrs. Emil Merschled and Mrs. Geo. LeDoyt. A 25c lunch will be served. The brotherhood is cordially invited. Those with cars are to meet at the church at three o'clock.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

The following quotations were the opening markets at South Omaha this morning and were received here by telegraph at 10 a. m. Cattle— Better grades cornfed steers steady, \$10.00. other classes of beef steers ten to fifteen cents lower. She stock slow, bulls and calves generally steady. Stockers and feeders steady. Hogs— Market fairly active. Average about steady with yesterday's average. Spots 10c lower on packing grades. Bulk and mixed packing grades \$7.10 to \$7.75. Bulk 200 to 300 pound butchers \$8.00 to \$8.55. Top \$9.00. DR. HAROLD H. WALKER Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Offices over McDonald Bank Phone 356

Wearing Her Championship Belt



Mrs. Grace McClellan, of Austin, Tex., is the new champion woman pistol shot. She won her title in recent competition at San Antonio, where she scored 272 hits out of a possible 300. She is wearing the championship belt and shooting a gold-plated automatic awarded with the title.

The Fatal Clew

By AUSTIN FLEET Copyright, 1923. Western Newspaper Union. Wadsworth stepped jauntily out of his cell when the policeman unlocked it, and followed him into the detectives' room, where the chief stood with the district attorney. The latter nodded, but the police chief stepped forward and shook Wadsworth by the hand. "You're a free man, and I congratulate you," he said. "I hope you understand that in arresting you I was doing the only thing possible under the circumstances. But there's not a shred of evidence to connect you with the murder of your wife, Mr. Wadsworth, and it's proved that you couldn't possibly have covered the distance from the country club to your house within the twenty minutes necessary to connect you with her death. "We know the time she was shot, because the bullet stopped her wrist watch before it penetrated her heart. We know that you were seen at the club twenty minutes before the murder. We know it takes three-quarters of an hour to cover the distance on foot and that no vehicle passed along the road during the interval. So unless we find an airplane or bicycle of yours"—he looked at Wadsworth keenly, and Wadsworth returned his look unflinchingly—"there's no evidence to connect you with the affair in any way."

WEATHER CONDITIONS

This locality was favored last night with sixty-two one-hundredths of an inch of rain. Indications were that the precipitation extended a considerable area north and northwest. Miss Helen Bonner leaves soon for Lincoln where she will resume her studies at the Conservatory of Music. Freeman Hanson left Saturday for Denver where he will enter the Dental College. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brooks and children returned home Friday from Denver where they spent a month visiting relatives and enjoying a vacation. W. Worthington was arraigned in police court yesterday and fined one dollar and costs for parking his car in front of the Sun Theatre. H. H. Newman and family are expected home today. They spent the summer in points in Colorado. They made the trip by auto.

OBITUARY

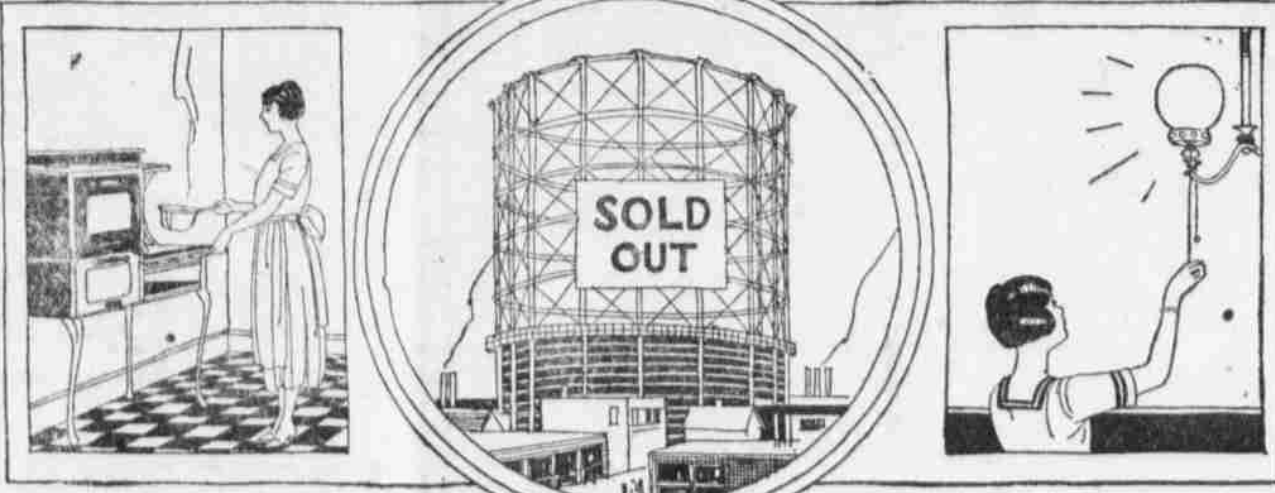
Mrs. Rose M. Raynor Knox was born in Ripley, Ohio on June 12, 1868 and died Aug. 10, 1923, at Kimball, Nebr. She was 54 years old, one month and 28 days old. At the age of 11 years she with her parents moved to Norwalk, Ohio, where she received her education. In 1886 the family moved to Perkins county, Nebr. About 35 years ago she was married to John M. Knox of Wahoo, Nebr. To this union two children were born, Roy E. Knox and Mrs. H. L. Bonham. They lived at Wahoo 11 years, since that making their home in Lincoln county. Mrs. Knox was an active member of the Presbyterian church of this city and also a member of the Rebekah Lodge. She leaves to mourn her death two children, Roy E. Knox of Del Rio, Mexico, and Mrs. H. L. Bonham of Kimball, Nebr., two sisters, Mrs. C. L. Bowen and Mrs. C. J. Bowen of this city and a brother, J. C. Raynor of Salt Lake and a host of friends.

FOR SALE

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